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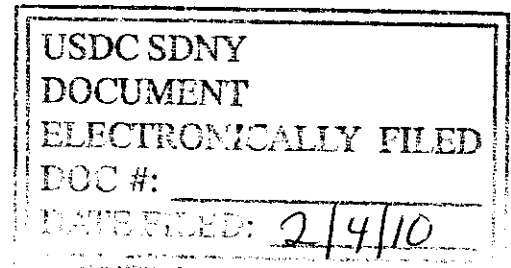
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MEMBERS

January 29, 2010

**VIA US MAIL**

Hon. Denny Chin  
United States District Court Southern District of New York  
Daniel Patrick Moynihan United States Courthouse  
500 Pearl Street  
Room 1020  
New York, NY



Re: *The Author's Guild, Inc., Association of American Publishers, Inc. et al.,  
v. Google, Inc.* Case No. 05-CV-8136-DC

Dear Judge Chin:

Enclosed please find a courtesy copy of The Johns Hopkins University's  
Withdrawal of Objection to Settlement Agreement and Certificate of Service submitted  
for filing with the clerk's office.

Thank you for your assistance.

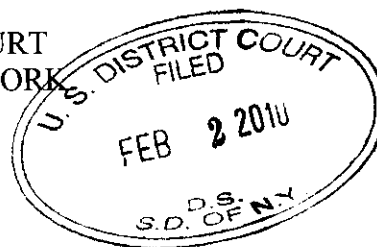
Very Truly Yours,

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Philip Roberts  
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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK



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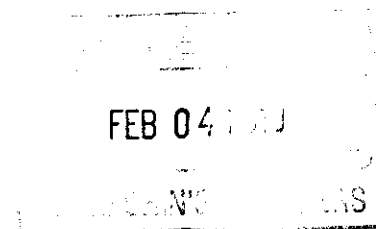
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**WITHDRAWAL OF OBJECTION TO SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT**

Class member The Johns Hopkins University previously objected to the Settlement Agreement in this case. The University's objection, submitted on September 2, 2009, argued that the settlement should not be approved so long as it contained the "most favored nation" clause which then appeared as Section 3.8(a) of the Settlement Agreement. That clause has been deleted in the Amended Settlement Agreement. Accordingly, the University wishes to withdraw its objection.

Respectfully submitted,

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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

THE AUTHORS GUILD, INC.,

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ASSOCIATION OF  
AMERICAN PUBLISHERS, INC.,

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et al.,

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Plaintiffs,

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Civil Action No.: 05-CV-8136-JES

GOOGLE, INC.,

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Defendant.

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

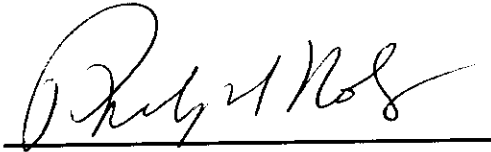
I hereby certify that on January 29, 2010, a copy of the Withdrawal of Objection to

Settlement Agreement was mailed via first class mail, postage prepaid to:

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